

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Sachetto et al

Serial No. 09/508,661

Filed: May 26, 2000

For: XANTHAN GUM AND HPMC FOR THE
TREATMENT OF IBD

Attn: Licensing and Review
Petitions Examiner Lobo

**RESPONSE TO DECISION ON REQUEST FOR
RETROACTIVE LICENSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.525**

Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the decision on request for retroactive license under 37 CFR 1.525
of January 4, 2002, the period for response having been extended up to and including
July 5, 2002, applicants provide the following remarks.

Documentation submitted to date

In support of applicants' request for grant of a retroactive license, the following
documentation has been previously submitted:

1. License request of December 30, 1999 together with copies of UK application
Nos. 9720590.0 and 9725346.2 and PCT application PCT/GB98/02899,

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

July 5, 2002

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Response to Decision on Request for Retroactive License under 37 CFR 1.525** in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Petition for (4) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a) (\$1440.00 for the extension of time).
- ☒ Check(s) in the amount of \$1440.00 is enclosed for the additional claims fee.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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